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AMENDMENT TO

TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR

AD HOC PANEL B

These Terms of Reference Were Approved by Action of the Psychological Strategy Board on January 31, 1952.

The Board Directed that the PSB Panel: (a) Undertake the Strategic Aspects of the Job; and (b) Delineate the Specific Tactical Tasks and Indicate Their Allocation to Operating Agencies.

These Terms of Reference for Sub-Panels B-I Supersede Sub-Paragraphs 1 b and 4 b of Terms of Reference for Ad Hec Panel "B" (Revised), August 29, 1951.

For the Director:	
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	can take in future to frustrate Soviet bloc blackmail tactics of	
	the kind we faced in the siege of Berlin, thecase and the	25X1
	imprisonment of American flyers in Hungary.	
2.	Objectives: The work should be concentrated on hitherto neglected	
•	means of pressure and persuasion. In this stage the Panel should	
	concentrate on not more than ten ways in which we might be able to	
	influence Soviet conduct.	
	a. In particular, the Panel should study and make recommenda-	
	tions on the fellowing possibilities:	
	(1) What can be done through United States (and Allied)	
	control of the seas, international waterways, coaling	
	stations, etc.?	
	(a) What can be done to hamper and delay Soviet	
	bloc merchant shipping, fishing fleets,	
	whalers, crews?	
	(b) What are the problems and risks of intercepting	
	Soviet bloc shipping on the high seas?	0.57/4
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- (5) What measures of harassment can profitably be taken against Soviet bloc nationals within the United States (and Allied countries)?
- b. In examining these and other possibilities, the Panel should take into account Soviet bloc capabilities of retaliation.

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